

House Resolution No. 2584

Whereas, as the 2002-2003 school year draws to a close, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to applaud the career achievements of those individuals who are retiring from the field of education; and

Whereas, the Lincoln R-II School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty on May 27, 2003, with the retirement of Carolyn Lewis who has devoted many years of her life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as a business teacher; and

Whereas, Carolyn Lewis has taught for seventeen years at Lincoln R-II, where she is held in high esteem as an educator who demonstrates considerable competence and remarkable degrees of compassion and understanding; and

Whereas, deeply committed to the great cause of learning, Carolyn Lewis also taught seven years in the Adrian School District and two years in the Hermitage School District; and

Whereas, Carolyn Lewis played an instrumental role in starting the Lincoln R-II Chapter of the Future Business Leaders of America, which has developed into one of the Show-Me State's premier organizations; and

Whereas, Carolyn Lewis, who is an active member of her community, volunteers with the American Cancer Society and the American Heart Association; and

Whereas, a member of the Lowry City United Methodist Church, Carolyn Lewis has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her late husband, Jim, and two children, Brian Lewis and Tina Lewis:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join the Lincoln R-II in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Carolyn Lewis has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing her the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that she so justly deserves; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Carolyn Lewis, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by _____
Representative Tom Self
District No. 116

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2584, adopted May 7, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker